

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION  
MARCH 2004**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2003 To Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
<b>State Total</b>	<b>207,599</b>	<b>496,930</b>	<b>\$41,844,061</b>	<b>201,413</b>	<b>485,470</b>	<b>\$365,296,014</b>
Abbeville	1,449	3,138	268,753	1,361	2,984	2,288,038
Aiken	6,884	17,046	1,459,319	6,653	16,650	12,627,683
Allendale	1,455	3,473	308,934	1,454	3,482	2,749,135
Anderson	7,532	18,958	1,632,959	7,189	18,153	13,948,423
Bamberg	1,460	3,372	273,227	1,441	3,360	2,420,743
Barnwell	1,918	4,601	390,521	1,890	4,562	3,467,719
Beaufort	3,422	8,950	734,228	3,223	8,511	6,349,423
Berkeley	6,118	15,395	1,297,890	5,902	15,053	11,398,993
Calhoun	899	2,074	166,832	864	2,009	1,459,691
Charleston	13,096	31,418	2,574,490	12,789	31,019	22,798,184
Cherokee	3,459	8,345	716,610	3,351	8,100	6,194,647
Chester	2,581	6,047	519,924	2,534	6,015	4,641,023
Chesterfield	3,557	8,255	694,384	3,479	8,106	6,045,118
Clarendon	3,449	7,957	648,771	3,395	7,892	5,913,336
Colleton	3,009	7,330	579,350	2,936	7,153	5,077,221
Darlington	5,724	13,739	1,140,265	5,641	13,652	10,098,772
Dillon	2,981	7,407	595,532	2,961	7,367	5,300,338
Dorchester	3,615	9,164	770,907	3,530	9,032	6,793,979
Edgefield	1,329	3,111	237,622	1,307	3,091	2,121,609
Fairfield	1,845	4,080	357,984	1,825	4,082	3,142,088
Florence	8,925	21,844	1,842,722	8,740	21,463	16,126,841
Georgetown	3,738	9,198	760,658	3,606	8,893	6,538,586
Greenville	14,552	33,791	2,907,529	13,711	31,992	24,750,465
Greenwood	3,374	8,017	687,541	3,251	7,767	5,995,652
Hampton	1,581	4,155	323,323	1,534	4,075	2,845,765
Horry	11,539	26,320	2,282,231	10,883	24,957	19,236,787
Jasper	1,485	3,642	308,733	1,478	3,617	2,746,166
Kershaw	2,115	5,179	423,286	2,096	5,104	3,701,989
Lancaster	3,628	8,802	788,260	3,545	8,686	6,913,635
Laurens	3,592	8,604	721,069	3,550	8,587	6,374,616
Lee	2,264	5,237	422,035	2,217	5,167	3,758,108
Lexington	6,743	17,606	1,510,170	6,607	17,426	13,303,416
McCormick	753	1,513	127,704	739	1,491	1,117,915
Marion	3,855	8,468	661,525	3,807	8,398	5,864,556
Marlboro	2,757	6,169	510,170	2,743	6,201	4,556,588
Newberry	2,221	4,977	419,601	2,213	4,994	3,736,116
Oconee	2,442	6,107	484,599	2,340	5,883	4,127,876
Orangeburg	8,940	19,930	1,696,910	8,618	19,414	15,005,571
Pickens	2,934	7,414	596,211	2,706	6,844	4,852,076
Richland	13,449	32,658	2,858,603	13,218	32,179	25,173,332
Saluda	1,167	2,589	202,335	1,129	2,538	1,805,023
Spartanburg	9,192	22,308	1,843,072	9,032	22,037	16,354,777
Sumter	7,757	18,307	1,524,676	7,549	17,941	13,253,101
Union	1,997	4,285	348,113	1,918	4,158	3,026,709
Williamsburg	4,218	9,626	769,953	4,101	9,426	6,707,711
York	6,599	16,324	1,454,530	6,358	15,960	12,586,474

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